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Dear Sir:

This paper is a timely response to the Office Action of July 12, 2005 ("the Office Action").
Kindly consider the remarks herein which place the application in condition for allowance.

Remarks begin on page 2.